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Re: Application of Masahiko YAHAGI  
MULTI-NETWORK COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM  
Assignee: NEC CORPORATION  
Our Ref. Q68321

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 18 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 5 sheets of informal drawings, and a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. **The Assignment will be filed at a later date.**

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	19	-	20	=		x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent claims	8	-	3	=	5	x	\$84.00	=	\$420.00
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<b>TOTAL FEE</b>								<b><u>\$1160.00</u></b>	

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$1160.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	2001-023818	January 31, 2001

**The priority document will be filed at a later date.**

Respectfully submitted,  
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